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FRIDAY, NOV. 10, 1899.

MILES POSING AGAIN.

The presence of General Miles in Portland has given an esteemed contemporary of that city an opportunity to again sully its pages with an unwarrantable attack on McKinley. It says that the president refused to let Miles take an active part in the Cuban campaign, "Because President McKinley feared that General Miles, who has been reputed to be a man of political ambition, would be sure to distinguish himself if given an opportunity in Cuba, and might become a popular hero." If this were true, McKinley would not have permitted a solitary officer to land upon the island, for there is as great danger from the most obscure soldier securing popular honor, as there is from the commanding general. It is safe to say that Funston is the most popular officer of the Philippine campaign has produced. At the beginning of the civil war Grant was a nonentity, yet his record made him president. "The single victory of Taylor at Buena Vista, where he commanded only 6,000 men made him president. The single victory of Jackson, who commanded 6,000 men at New Orleans, made him president," says the enemy to the administration. Then was Roosevelt with his rough riders a more dangerous adversary than Miles. It is highly probable that if Mr. Miles had been given his way in Cuba "the brilliant record of his heroic youth and mature manhood" would have been dimmed by the ineffectual flaring of infirmity. For "when the government thought Shafter was 'in a hole' at Santiago, it hastened to consult Miles how to pull him out," and this modern Ajax, who stood with bare breast wooing the political lightning, urged with unbecoming haste the immediate evacuation of Cuba by the American forces. Thanks to Chaplain Chadwick, of the Oregon, "Fighting Joe and General Shafter, the senile Miles was overruled, and Santiago was won "by sound soldiery and superior executive talent."

The result of the elections Tuesday is highly satisfactory to republicans. Nash's plurality of 50,000 in Ohio, may be regarded as a hearty endorsement of the policies of the administration. Nebraska was Bryan's last ditch, politically, and his every energy was devoted to holding it with the result that fusion won by 12,000. Anti-fusionism was elapsing squarely in face in Massachusetts where Crane republican, has a plurality of 66,000. Iowa was a grand victory for sound money, Shaw's plurality being 60,000. Kentucky went republican by 8,000; New Jersey, 20,000 and Pennsylvania, 109,465. The New York assembly will stand 93 republicans, 57 democrats. The republican majority in South Dakota was 4,070, and Kansas and Colorado show republican gains. In Maryland, Smith, democrat, was elected governor by 11,000 majority

A few figures on wool show the difference between republican and Democratic industrial policies Under the McKinley tariff the American wool clip increased from 3,37,000,000 pounds in 1891 to 3,48,000,000 in 1893. Then the Wilson law came in and by 1897 there was a decline to 259,000,000. The Dingley law turned the tide again. The wool clip last year increased 2.6 per cent, and the number of sheep by 2,121,000. In addition to this the demand for goods is so great that most of the woolen mills have consumed their accumulations, —Globe-Democrat.

"Miles' military fame," says the Oregonian, "has painted his picture in lasting historic colors." We were aware that Mr. Miles most notable achievement has been his fidelity in facing almost anything in the shape of a picture taking machine, but that he had ever "sat" for Fame, had escaped our notice.

The Mayor of Corvallis is not the only head of the city government which disagrees with the council on bicycle matters. Mayor Burkhardt of Albany has vetoed the bicycle ordinance recently passed by the council of that city. His veto is based on opinion, however, rather than constitutional grounds.

Goats-2 Billys for sale No. 1 stock. Will exchange one for Nanays. Apply J. E. Fisher, N. West Odd Fellows Cemetery.

F. L. Miller

Umbrellas

For Ladies and Gentlemen. Our umbrella stock represents the best values the market offers. All made to our order, by the best workmen. Best Paragon frames and steel rods. Handles are in Princess style and natural crooks in boxwood, Congo and Olive burls, also in Horn, Pearl and Ivory, with silver or gold trimmings for 75c to \$5.00 each.

Ladies' Neckwear

See the latest arrivals. The Dewey, 50c, all silk. Fancy bows, 25c.

Veilings

Still they come! Novelty and varieties to please the most critical buyer. All silk La Tosca net, plain Russian net, fish net, and plain Brussels net with Chenille spots in black, white and colors from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 per yard; also assorted colors in sewing silk veiling at 25c per yard.

Yours truly, F. L. Miller.

F. L. MILLER

Everybody's Wants Supplied

It will be time well spent if you will call and examine the New Goods that daily arrive at our store. The difficult part with us, is not what to announce, but how to do justice to all lines.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

We want to show you our Men's and Boys' stylish clothing for Fall and Winter wear. We offer perfect fitting clothing, thoroughly and honestly tailored and made of the best and most attractive fabrics at prices that cannot be duplicated in the valley. Special attention is called to the following lines:

Men's Oregon All-Wool Suits

Brown mixtures, gray mixtures and black, for \$8.50.

Fancy Stripes

We have just received another invoice of those fancy stripes you see so many wearing. They range from \$18 to \$25.

Men's Fine All-Wool Checks

In dark and light checks, for \$9.00.

Young Men's Suits

From 18 to 30 years in fine double-breasted blue serge silk faced, also sacks and cutaways from \$5 to \$12.50

Boy's Suits

From 8 to 13 years in all the late patterns. The Mrs. Jane Hopkins make from \$3 to \$8.

Little Men's

Children's Vestee Suits, and in fact we have everything the little men could wish. Our stock would do credit to a much-larger city. Our prices are from \$1.50 to \$6.

Yours truly, F. L. Miller.

Ladies' Shoes

We handle the celebrated "IMPERIAL," the best shoe made. We have them in the Common Wealth or Glazed Kid, hand turned B, C, D, & E, lasts, from \$3 to \$4. Fine Donagola Welt, C, D, & E, lasts, for \$3. Box calf, the best shoe in town, for \$3. The same shoes in McKay, for \$2.50. Every pair in guarantee, they give satisfaction, and we have a good assortment.

Ladies' Hose

Heavy black ribbed wool hose, per pair 25, 35, 40 and 50c.

Linen Handkerchiefs

We have just opened a large stock of linen and lawn handkerchiefs for Ladies, all handsomely trimmed with lace or embroidery, and all extra good values, from .05c to \$1.00 each.

Yours truly, F. L. Miller.

Have Been Disposed Of.

A B Hammond vs W F Crosby; action on promissory note. Continued for term.

H W Mann vs W P LaFerty; action to recover money on account. Tried by jury. Verdict for defendant.

A L McFadden vs Isaac Porter; action on promissory note. Judgment for plaintiff by default.

J B Tillotson vs H F Fischer; action on contract. Verdict for plaintiff.

A Wilhelm & Sons vs J C Looney; action on promissory note. Dismissed on plaintiff's motion.

H F Fischer vs J Y McOne; action on account. Dismissed on plaintiff's motion.

J N Brandeberry and Mollie L Brandeberry vs Peter Rickard et al; action to recover money. Demurrer overruled. Answer filed Monday.

Margaret Logsdon vs J A Hawkins, et al; foreclosure. Continued for term on plaintiff's motion.

J W Ingle vs Thos H Cooper, et al; suit for an accounting. Dismissed without cost to either party.

Wm Groves vs W C and M V Crawford; for confirmation. Confirmation of sale of real property.

M Porter vs J P Huffman; matter of easement in waterway. For trial.

E A Nichols vs R F Holm, assignment. Order accepting final account and discharging assignee.

Alice Tally vs L Flinn; suit to remove cloud from title. Continued for term by consent.

School Fund Commissioners vs J J Bryan, et al; foreclosure. Dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

C Stock vs N P Newton, et al; suit—matter of certain money in hands of Administrator. Dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

C F Culver vs B E Cresswell; writ of review. Dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

W B Pescock vs Martyn L Pipes and Francis Clarno; foreclosure. Default as to Pipes. Decree for judgment against Pipes.

Mathew George vs Sarah E. George; divorce. Granted.

Cynthia A. Mitchell vs W. J. Mitchell; divorce. Granted.

Profit in Corn.

A farmer living near Corvallis, realized nearly five times as much from a small field planted in corn as he would have realized had the same field been sown in wheat. This fact is an argument in itself and needs no further proof of its worth. The growing of sweet corn for the market is a profitable industry, which many farmers do not observe. An acre will produce from 2,000 to 3,000 dozen ears, that sell at from 10 to 15 cents per dozen, wherever the demand is created by centers of population. The dried corn sells rapidly at 12 1/2 cents per pound, and in our larger Oregon cities the supply never equals the demand. Fall or winter plowing is the best for successful corn growing. Stubble or sod land should be turned under early, to allow the plowed field to get thoroughly frozen during the winter. The surface covering of grass and weeds if turned under, roots and forms a fertilizer for the corn roots, and holds moisture for some time during the early spring and summer growing months. The land should be harrowed and well pulverized in the spring before planting. Early corn is the most profitable, but for drying purposes the late varieties are preferable.

WANTED TO TRADE.

Piano or organ for building lot. Enquire of A. P. Venet at Occidental Hotel.

The Hop Growers.

The hop growers of Oregon, says the Agriculturist, are about to try the experiment of co-operative marketing of hops. The hop industry is one branch of farming operations in which co-operation ought to be comparatively easy.

The whole number of hop growers is not so great as to make it a difficult matter to gather all into one organization. The growers must, however, realize that the only way in which co-operative marketing of a production can be made a success in the long run is to turn over to the association the power to dispose of their crops. If the members of the association retain the privilege of selling their crops individually there will be trouble.

The first thought of nearly all producers in forming associations for marketing their produce is that by so doing they will eliminate middle men. In practice it is found that the middle men are indispensable. The gains made by co-operative associations for marketing are derived from the maintenance of steady prices in selling, the prevention of cuts in prices by foolish sales, the ability to establish a reputation to fill large orders with goods which can be depended on, and the employment of thoroughly trained and able business managers to control the business and handle it to the best advantage.

COLLEGE NIFORMS.

Orders taken at S. L. Kline's for the Pettibone O. A. C. uniform.

WANTED

Baled hay. Enquire at Howell's old stand.



Any one having a patent or invention... Scientific American.

MUNN & Co 361 Broadway, New York

For Sale.

Large Eighth Medium Job Press

Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Corvallis postoffice for the week ending Nov. 4, 1899: Bates, Fred; Dixon, Chas. S; Brown, Joseph; Rockwell, C B (3); Brown, O T Brown; Smick, Roy

Medical Instruction—Vocal and Instrumental.

Modern methods, experienced teaching, careful and accurate. Low rates for this grade of work. See descriptive circulars. Further particulars by mail or at Trask's book store.

For Rent.

A ood nine roomed house, inquire of W. FRANCIS GATES.

WANTED.

Twenty tons of cast iron; old stoves; any castings; also your patronage. Bring your plowshares and have them ground, you will save money. All work guaranteed.

Notice of Administrator.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the Honorable County Court of Benton County, Oregon, Executor of the will annexed of the estate of Tolbert Carter, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me daily verified as required by law at my home two miles east of Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from date of this notice.

NERVITA PILLS

Restore Vitality, Lost Vigor and Manhood. Cure Impotency, Night Emissions and Wasting Diseases, all effects of self-abuse, or excess and indigestion. A nerve tonic and blood builder. Brings the pink glow to pale cheeks and restores the fire of youth.

NERVITA MEDICAL CO. CHICAGO, ILL.

For sale by Allen & Woodward's drug store, Corvallis, Oregon.

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon, In the matter of the Estate of John W. Lawrence, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of John W. Lawrence, deceased, has filed with the clerk of said court his final account of said estate and that said court has fixed the first Monday, the 14th day of November, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day at the court house in Corvallis, in said Benton county, as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and for a final settlement thereof.

Adm'r, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of John W. Lawrence, Deceased.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.

It artfully digests the food and aids Nature in restoring an exhausted digestive organ. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastritis, Gravel, and all other results of imperfect digestion.

Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co. Chicago. Graham & Wells.

"Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cured me of a severe case of indigestion; can strongly recommend it to all dyspeptics." Digests what you eat without aid from the stomach, and cures dyspepsia. Graham & Wells.

Dillel The Fixer is now prepared to do all kinds of bicycle repairing, enameling, varnishing, etc.

There's always a hope while there's One Minute Cough Cure. "An attack of pneumonia left my lungs in bad shape and I was near the first stages of consumption. One Minute Cough Cure completely cured me," writes Helen McHenry, Bismark, North Dakota. Gives instant relief. Graham & Wells.

B. A. CATHEY, M. D.

Physician & Surgeon. Office over Allen & Woodward's drug store.

Office Hours: 9 to 12 a. m.

De Witt's little Early Risers permanently cure chronic constipation, biliousness, nervousness and worn-out feeling. Cleanse and regulate the entire system. Small, pleasant, never gripe or sicken—famous little pills. Graham & Wells.

The smallpox scare resulted in making public Friday an affidavit by health officer, Pierce to the effect that there are but two individual cases of smallpox in or near Salem, and both are doing well and are practically safe, and that there is but one suspect, and he is almost past the period of danger.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Albert H. Fyall, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate in the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county, and Saturday, December 9, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. at the county court room in the court house in Corvallis, Oregon, is the time and place fixed for hearing objections, if any, to said final account and the settlement thereof.

Executed of the Estate of Tolbert Carter, deceased. Dated this 10th day of October, 1899.

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Beats and Collections.

Houses to rent, rents to collect, 20 good farms and stock ranches to sell.

THOMAS EGLIN & SON.

NOTICE.

Persons desiring to locate on timber claims tributary to the C. & E. R. R. would do well to call on or correspond with the undersigned. There is a number of first-class timber claims to be taken up under the timber or homestead acts.

W. L. CLARK, Gates, Marion Co., Or. Locator.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a scientific compound having the endorsement of eminent physicians and the medical press. It digests what you eat and positively cures dyspepsia. M. A. Ketrone, Bloomingdale, Tenn., says it cured him of indigestion of ten years standing.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR., Sept 16, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before county clerk of Benton county, Oregon, at Corvallis, Oregon, on Oct. 28, 1899, viz:

FRANCIS KLECKER; H. E. No. 1228, for the 2 1/2 of SW 1/4 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 13 S., R. 7 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Guy Seelye, August Hodges, Samuel Smith, of Corvallis, Oregon, and Marion Haven, of Alsea, Oregon.

"Best on the market for coughs and colds and all bronchial troubles; for croup it has no equal," writes Henry R. Whitford, South Canaan, Conn., of One Minute Cough Cure. Graham & Wells.

NOTICE.

Clara Seits, my wife, having left my bed and board without provocation, all persons are hereby notified not to trust her on my account as I will not be responsible for any debts that she may create.

W. H. SARRS, Alsea, Or., Sept. 3, 1899.

The Home Supply Association of Portland can save you \$50 to \$100 a year on the goods you buy. Many of the best men in the county are members. For prices call on or write to the agent at Corvallis, Mr. H. G. Gue.

Piano Wanted.

Anyone having a good upright piano to rent will do well to call at this office.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OREGON, October 2, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Benton County, at Corvallis, Oregon, on November 11, 1899, viz:

WILLIAM C. HODGES, on H. E. No. 10213, for the SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, section 10 township 13 south, range 6 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous cultivation of said land, viz: Virgil H. Lundham, of Lindham, Oregon, Henry Starr of Inavale, Oregon, James Lemaster, of Dancy, Oregon.

For wounds, burns, scalds, sores, skin diseases and all irritating eruptions, nothing so soothing and healing as De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Mrs. Emma Bellies, matron, Englewood Nursery, Chicago, says of it: "When all else fails in healing our babies, it cures." Graham & Wells.

For Sale or Exchange.

One hundred and eighteen lots, in half and whole blocks, in the original town of Newport, that beautiful and healthy summer resort, in Lincoln county, Oregon; some business lots, residence lots near the principal churches, school house, and other real estate; also residence lots commanding beautiful views of ocean and bay.

Five fractional blocks, south of and near the State Agricultural College, all completely titled, and other farms or acreage; of beautiful, convenient and healthful for residence.

Large dwelling, barn and outhouses, centrally located on money and commodious grounds, in Corvallis; will exchange for farm near Corvallis.

Twenty acres highly improved, all tile drained, and in good state of cultivation; excellent roomy buildings; about one-fourth mile from Agricultural College.

Large and roomy house and stable and lot in Corvallis, good residence, two blocks from the Court House; also rolling ground, near Agricultural College.

Eight nice residence lots, thoroughly tile drained, in Wilkins Addition to Corvallis.

One lot and hotel, The Pleasant House, on Front street, in Corvallis, centrally located.

Seventy-three acres, 6 in orchard, 15 in wheat, balance in grain, timber and pasture; situated near the 53d Fellows Cemetery, near Corvallis; suitable farm or acreage; property or will exchange the acreage property described for lower property or other farms or acreage; or will sell any or all of said property on reasonable terms and time at reasonable rates and prices.

M. S. WOODCOCK, Corvallis, Oregon.

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon, In the matter of the Estate of Malinda P. Mulkey, Dec'd.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of said estate has filed with the clerk of said court his final account of said estate and that said court has fixed the first Monday, the 9th day of Nov., 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court house in Corvallis, in said Benton county, as the time and place for hearing objections thereto, and for a final settlement thereof.

Dated October 5, 1899. A. G. MULKEY, Adm'r of the Estate of Malinda P. Mulkey, Dec'd

For Sale.

200-acre stock farm adjoining an unlimited orange on the west, and good schools, churches and the Belknap settlement on the east. Also 130-acre farm, good cultivating land. Address Administrator, Corvallis, Oregon.

"They are simply perfect," writes Robert Moore, of La Fayette, Indiana, of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation and all liver ailments. Never gripe. Graham & Wells.

Dining Cars.

Pullman First-Class and Tourist cars attached to all through trains. Through Tourist Cars to Chicago without charge.

Reeseburg Mail—Daily.

Corvallis Mail—Daily Except Sunday.

Independence Pass.—Daily Except Sun.

Direct connection at San Francisco with steamship lines for HAWAII, JAPAN, CHINA, the PHILIPPINES, and AUSTRALIA.

For through tickets and rates call on A. S. Pence, S. L. Hays, or City Ticket Agent, Corvallis, Or.

Money to Loan. In sums of \$1,500 and upwards, at six cent. E. H. WILSON.

For Sale. A No 1 cat hay for sale at the farm of W. S. Toole.

We are Showing Fall Goods Now

and would like to have your opinion on our selections. If we have done well, and picked out the goods you want and bought them cheap enough so we can sell them at prices you are willing to pay we will get your patronage. We say "if", but there is really no "if" about it. There isn't the least doubt in our minds that our new fall stock is all that it should be in style, quality and price. There won't be any doubt in your mind either when you see it. The only chance we run of losing your trade, or that of any other shrewd buyer, is in your staying away. If you visit the store you will buy sooner or later. We invite you to come confident that the visit will be mutually profitable.

S. L. KLINE

BEAUTIFUL SKIN.

Ladies, if you desire a transparent, clear and fresh complexion, Use Dr. Bourdon's French Arsenic Complexion Wafers.

The only reliable beautifier of the complexion, skin and hair known. In the direction for which they are intended, their effect is simply magical. The most astounding transformation in personal appearance is brought about by their steady use. Possessing the WIZARD'S TOUCH in producing and preserving beauty of form by developing a transparency and pellucid clearness of complexion, shapely contour of form, brilliant eyes, soft and smooth skin, where, by nature, the reverse exists. Even the COARSEST and MOST REPULSIVE skin marred by FRECKLES, MOTH, BLACKHEADS, PIMPLES, and VULGAR REDNESS, YELLOW and MUDDY skin, and other FACIAL DISFIGUREMENTS, are permanently removed and a deliciously clear and refined complexion assured, enhancing a lady's loveliness beyond her most extravagant expectations.

Ladies, You Can Be Beautiful, no matter who you are or what your disfigurements may be you can make yourself as handsome as any lady in the land by the use of Dr. Bourdon's French Arsenic Complexion Wafers.

Used by men the results are equally favorable. Price small box 50 cents. Large box \$1.00 or special order of six large boxes \$5.00. Sent to any address under plain cover on receipt of the above amount. Write for Circular, free.

THE PARISIEN DRUG CO. 131 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

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GREAT OREGON NORTHERN RAILWAY SPOKANE MINNEAPOLIS ST. PAUL AND CHICAGO

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